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Applicant : Peter Daniel HANSEN et al. Art Unit : 2121
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated October 10, 2001, finally rejecting claims 1-15.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 2 month(s) to and including March 10, 2002 is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$720 for the appeal fee (\$320) and the extension of time fee (\$400) is enclosed. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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